

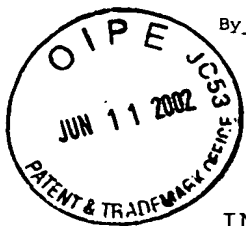
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF : PETROSKI, et al.
FOR : SOUND-ABSORBING COMPOSITES
AND SHIELD DEVICES
EMPLOYING SAME
SERIAL NO. : 10/080,204
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington DC 20231

Dear Sir:

The initial period for response to the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed March 19, 2002 expired on May 19, 2002.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136, petition is hereby made for a one-month extension of time up to and including June 19, 2002 in which to respond to the Official Action.

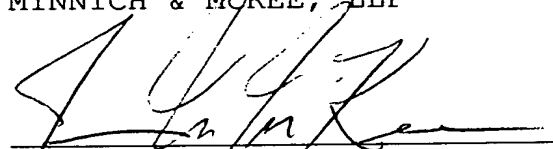
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Attached is a check in the amount of \$55.00 for the extension fee.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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